

Company F of the Seventy-first Regiment, National Guard. State of New York, in practice drill, held in the armory of the 47th Regiment. The men are perfecting themselves in the operation of firing field mines. It will be noticed that there is no floor to the armory. This is in accordance with the recent policy by which the floors in National Guard armories were all removed, in order that the militia might benefit by practice drills held on the ground under conditions more nearly approaching those of actual camp life.